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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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IN RE LOWER MANHATTAN DISASTER SITE
LITIGATION

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LUIS INGA AND CARMEN INGA,

Plaintiff(s),

- against -

**NOTICE OF
ADOPTION**

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233 BROADWAY OWNERS, LLC, 63 WALL STREET INC, 63 WALL, INC., 90 CHURCH STREET LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, AJ GOLDSTEIN & CO., ALAN KASMAN DBA KASCO, ALAN L.MERRIL, AMBIENT GROUP, INC., ANN TAYLOR STORES CORPORATION, BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, BANKERS TRUST CORP., BANKERS TRUST NEW YORK CORPORATION, BATTERY PARK CITY AUTHORITY, BELFOR USA GROUP, INC., BETTY JEAN GRANQUIST, BFP ONE LIBERTY PLAZA CO., LLC, BLACKMON-MOORING-STEAMATIC CATASTOPHE, INC. D/B/A BMS CAT, BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOSTON PROPERTIES, INC., BROOKFIELD FINANCIAL PROPERTIES, INC., BROOKFIELD FINANCIAL PROPERTIES, LP, BROOKFIELD PARTNERS, LP, BROOKFIELD PROPERTIES CORPORATION, BROOKFIELD PROPERTIES HOLDINGS INC., BROWN BROTHERS HARRIMAN & CO., INC., BT PRIVATE CLIENTS CORP., CAROL GAYNOR TRUST, CAROL GAYNOR, AS TRUSTEE OF THE CAROL GAYNOR TRUST, CAROL MERRIL GAYNOR, CHASE MANHATTAN BANK, DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS SERVICES, DEUTSCHE BANK TRUST COMPANY, DEUTSCHE BANK TRUST COMPANY AMERICAS, DEUTSCHE BANK TRUST CORPORATION, ENVIROTECH CLEAN AIR, INC., FGP 90 WEST STREET INC., FRED

GOLDSTEIN, GENERAL RE SERVICES CORP.,
GPS ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS, INC.,
HARLAND GAYNOR, AS TRUSTEE UNDER A
DECLARATION OF TRUST, HAROLD G.
GOLDSTEIN, AS TRUSTEE UNDER A
DECLARATION OF TRUST, HERMAN L.
BLUM, AS TRUSTEE UNDER THE LAST WILL
AND TESTAMENT OF LOUIS W. GOLDSTEIN,
HILLMAN ENVIRONMENTAL GROUP, LLC.,
IDELL GOLDSTEIN, AS TRUSTEE UNDER
DECLARATION OF TRUST, INDOOR
ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY, INC.,
JONES LANG LASALLE AMERICAS, INC.,
JONES LANG LASALLE SERVICES, INC.,
KASCO RESTORATION SERVICES CO., KIBEL
COMPANIES MARGARET G. WATERS,
MARGUERITE K. LEWIS, AS TRUSTEE
UNDER THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF LOUIS W. GOLDSTEIN, MATTHEW A.
GELBIN, AS TRUSTEE OF THE GELBIN
FAMILY, MERRILL LYNCH & CO, INC.,
NATALIE S. LEBOW, AS TRUSTEE OF THE
JEREMIAH PHILIP LEBOW REVOCABLE
TRUST, NATALIE S. LEBOW, AS TRUSTEE OF
THE JERRY P. LEBOW FAMILY TRUST,
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SECURITIES
DEALERS, INC., NEW LIBERTY PLAZA, LP,
NEW YORK CITY INDUSTRIAL
DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, NEW YORK CITY
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT
CORPORATION, NEW YORK CITY SCHOOL
CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY, NOMURA
HOLDING AMERICA, INC., NOMURA
SECURITIES INTERNATIONAL, INC., ONE
LIBERTY PLAZA, PAMELA BETH KLEIN, AS
TRUSTEE OF THE PAMELA AND ROWAN
KLEIN TRUST, ROWAN K. KLEIN, AS
TRUSTEE OF THE PAMELA AND ROWAN
KLEIN TRUST, RUTH G. LEBOW, SHIRLEY G.
SHOCKLEY, AS TRUSTEE UNDER
DECLARATION OF TRUST, STRUCTURE
TONE (UK), INC., STRUCTURE TONE
GLOBAL SERVICES, INC., SYLVIA R.
GOLDSTEIN, THE BANK OF NEW YORK
TRUST COMPANY NA, THE BOARD OF
MANAGERS OF THE ONE LIBERTY PLAZA
CONDOMINIUM (CONDO#1178), THE ONE
LIBERTY PLAZA CONDOMINIUM (CONDO
#1178), TISHMAN INTERIORS CORPORATION,
TOSCORP INC., TRIBECA LANDING L.L.C.,
CONSTRUCTION CO., INC., TULLY
INDUSTRIES, INC., VERIZON NEW YORK,
INC., WESTON SOLUTION, INC., WFP ONE

LIBERTY PLAZA CO., L.P., WFP ONE
LIBERTY PLAZA, CO. GP, CORP., WFP
TOWER B CO. G.P. CORP., WFP TOWER B

HOLDING CO., LP, WFP TOW ET AL

Defendants.


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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that defendant, ANN TAYLOR STORES CORPORATION as and for its responses to the allegations set forth in the Complaint by Adoption (Check-Off Complaint) related to the Master Complaint filed in the above-referenced action, hereby adopts ANN TAYLOR STORES CORPORATION's Answer to the Master Complaint dated August 8, 2007, which was filed in the matter of *In Re World Trade Center Lower Manhattan Disaster Site Litigation*, 21 MC 102 (AKH).

To the extent that ANN TAYLOR STORES CORPORATION's Answer to the Master Complaint does not comprehensively address any of the specific allegations within the Check-Off Complaint in the above-captioned matter, ANN TAYLOR STORES CORPORATION denies knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of such specific allegations.

WHEREFORE, ANN TAYLOR STORES CORPORATION demands judgment dismissing the above-captioned action as against it, together with its costs and disbursements.

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